

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1864.

L. DUKES, Esq., proprietor of the Mohave express, is expected here in a few days.

BACK NUMBERS of the MINER are wanted. Persons having such will be liberally allowed for them if left at this office.

CAPT. JOHN MOSS, Robert Hartsborne, Esq., and Mr. Hughes, arrived here on Friday evening last from Fort Mohave.

We hear that Jack Swilling, Esq., has discovered a very large and rich gold ledge about 10 miles east of People's ranch.

We are under obligations to Lieut. Curtis, Quartermaster at Fort Whipple, for favors extended to this office.

It will be observed that we now charge two bits (in paper) for single copies of the MINER. Compared with anything else sold in Prescott it is yet very cheap.

JUDGE ALLYN, of the Second District, is in town, and will, it is said, hold the term of court directed by the Governor's proclamation to be opened here on the 27th instant.

MR. A. G. DUNN has a large stock of Pimo flour, also California flour, and provisions and goods generally, which he offers at fair prices. See his advertisement, and give him a call.

MR. WILBUR CURTIS arrived with his pack train on Sunday. He brought the goods from Williams' Fork which he left there when coming through with his wagons about a month since.

POTATOES AND ONIONS.—A good supply of these wholesome vegetables reached Prescott by Mr. Hardy's wagons. They sell at seventy-five cents (paper) per pound, and remind us of civilization in all but the price.

THE Governor has appointed William H. Hardy alcalde at Hardyville, and Samuel Todd, alcalde at Mohave. David P. Mitchell is made constable at Mohave, and N. Pard. Pierce at Prescott, in place of John L. Forbes resigned.

ADOBES.—Why want some one who understands making adobes begin their manufacture in Prescott. We shall soon want chimneys to our houses, and they can be more neatly and cheaply built of adobes than of any material we have at hand.

MORE WELLS.—Several wells just completed in Prescott are supplied with an abundance of excellent water, and there would now seem to be no doubt as to securing water at any point at a reasonable depth, say from twenty-five to fifty feet.

THE building to be hired for the Legislature is nearly ready. It is large and comfortable, though plain in its appointments. It is a better house than that in which the first Legislature of Colorado met, and under the circumstances all that could be asked for.

ARTESIAN BORERS.—We hear that L. C. Gray, Esq., and a Mr. McCoy, are both to bring artesian borers from California to use upon the Ehrenburg road, from La Paz to Weaver. We hope they will furnish the desired wells, and so give a good road to La Paz.

CHIEF JUSTICE TURNER is expected back at an early day. During his absence he has rendered the Territory signal service at Washington and elsewhere. We are directly indebted to him for the establishment of the mail routes referred to in the MINER of August 10, and if service is not put upon them at once it will be from no lack of exertion upon his part.

MESSRS. POSTLE, BROWN & Co. have taken up for ranching purposes the old site of Fort Whipple. The ranch consists of about five hundred acres. They are now cutting some two hundred tons of hay, which they expect to offer for sale in Prescott this winter. Next season they will have under cultivation above two hundred acres of corn, wheat, etc.

PHOTOGRAPHER.—Why don't some taker of sun pictures come to Prescott? Our citizens want this beautiful part of the country illustrated for the benefit of the world, and not a few of them would like their own faces taken for the gratification of the loved ones whom they have left behind. A good artist would do a good business.

TO-DAY we complete the publication of Col. Woolsey's official report. The table of distances which he gives is of especial value. In copying the report we have called the Negrita the Black river, although there is a difference of opinion as to their identity. The Colonel thinks they are the same, and also sometimes known as the Prieta. On this and other points of interest suggested by the report we shall speak hereafter.

EXPRESSES.—We regret that Robertson, owing to an insufficiency of business and the danger of travelling the road without company, has given up the La Paz express. Elsewhere will be found the advertisement of Grant, the indefatigable expressman, running from La Paz to San Bernardino. It is rumored that he will now make Prescott his starting point. Hope he may do so. Bottsford, of Dukes' Mohave Express, arrived here on Friday evening last, with San Francisco papers to August 28. He returned on Monday. Nothing has been heard of the express to Santa Fe, which left here August 17, and was due on the 16th.

PURE LIQUORS.—Mr. I. Goldberg informs the people of Prescott in this week's paper that he has a fine lot of liquors for sale at wholesale or retail. He has good liquors, and no mistake.

WILLIAM H. HARDY, Esq., of the new town of Hardyville, on the Colorado, nine miles above Fort Mohave, lately made a hurried visit to Prescott with a view to opening a business establishment here. Mr. Hardy is a man of great enterprise, and has large capital invested in goods and buildings at his new town. Two wagons loaded with a miscellaneous assortment of goods arrived here a few days ago from his store at Hardyville, and we understand that the Miller brothers will superintend the erection of a building and represent his business here. Mr. Hardy is now represented at this place by Mr. Charles Ott and Mr. James Bull.

THE members of the Legislature are coming in rapidly. Messrs. Bashford and Stickney, of the first district, are here—Messrs. Dunn, Aldrich, Capron, and Appel, of the same district, are expected to arrive to-day. Mr. Holaday, of the second district, has been here some time. In another column we give a full list of the members of the Legislature, and we hope that their meeting may be harmonious and profitable to the Territory. For the members from other districts we bespeak the hospitable attention of our citizens. Our own members will know how to care for themselves.

STILL THEY COME.—Yesterday several members of an emigrant party from the States came into Prescott in advance of their wagons. Their train which will probably be in to-day, consists of fifteen wagons, with twelve families, and a lot of stock, mostly from Arkansas. The party left the Rio Grande early in August. They report meeting the express from here to Wingate at Inscription rock, but we have not been able to learn at what time. A large emigration is reported en route from the eastern States, and from California. It is not unlikely that we shall have a considerable addition to our population this autumn.

## THE GOVERNMENT OF ARIZONA FOR 1864.

### FEDERAL OFFICERS.

Governor, John N. Goodwin, Prescott.  
Secretary, Richard C. McCormick, Prescott.  
Chief Justice, William F. Turner, Prescott.  
Associate Justice, William T. Howell, Tucson.  
Associate Justice, Joseph P. Allyn, La Paz.  
District Attorney, Almon Gage, Prescott.  
Surveyor General, Levi Bashford, Tucson.  
Sup't of Indian Affairs, C. D. Poston, Tucson.  
Marshal, Milton B. Duffield, Tucson.

### TERRITORIAL OFFICERS.

Attorney General, Coles Bashford, Tucson.

### MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE.—COUNCIL.

First District.—Coles Bashford, Mark Aldrich, Patrick H. Dunn, Francisco S. Leon.  
Second District.—George W. Leiby, Jose M. Redonda.  
Third District.—King S. Woolsey, Robert W. Groom, Henry A. Bigelow.

### HOUSE.

First District.—John G. Capron, Norman Higgins, D. H. Stickney, G. P. Harte, Jesus M. Elias, G. W. Hopkins, W. Claude Jones, H. D. Jackson, N. B. Appel.  
Second District.—Louis Bauchet, G. M. Holaday, T. J. Bidwell, Edward D. Tuttle, William Walters.  
Third District.—John M. Boggs, Jackson McCrackin, James Garvin, James S. Giles.

BAKER AND KING.—A bill has passed the U. S. Senate, and undoubtedly ought and will pass the House, granting a pension to the widow of the late Gen. Edward D. Baker. It is proposed to do a duty too long neglected, namely, to erect a monument in California to the brave and eloquent Baker. We also hear with pleasure that there is a movement to similarly commemorate the gifted Starr King, who died "too soon." The golden State may well do homage to such noble men.

### DIED.

At Fort Mohave, A. T., Sept. 3, 1864, of ulceration of the stomach, ELIZABETH, wife of Winfield S. Pierson, a native of Iowa, aged 32 years.

## BARNETT & BARTH

Dealers in General Merchandise,  
PRESCOTT AND WEAVER.

WE have just received a fine assortment of all kinds of goods, consisting of  
Groceries, Provisions,  
Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps,  
Dry Goods, Hardware,  
Queensware, and Tinware.  
We are prepared to give you the very best article at the lowest cash prices ever sold in this section of the Territory. Call and examine our stock.

A large quantity of Flour just received, and for sale at the very lowest market price. 12

A. G. DUNN,  
DEALER IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE  
PRESCOTT, ARIZONA.

Goods Bought and Sold on Commission.

JUST RECEIVED—7,400 lbs. Pimo Flour, (a superior article,) and for sale at the lowest market rates. 127

## A PROCLAMATION.

BY JOHN N. GOODWIN, GOVERNOR OF ARIZONA TERRITORY, DESIGNATING THE PLACE AND TIMES FOR HOLDING A DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, FOR THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

WHEREAS, By a proclamation by me issued, dated the ninth day of April, A. D. 1864, defining judicial districts, and assigning judges, the limits of the Third Judicial District were designated, and the Hon. William F. Turner, Chief Justice of the United States Court for said Territory, assigned to said district, to hold the courts therein; and whereas, the times and place for holding the terms of the District Court in said district were not fixed by that proclamation.

Now, by virtue of the power with which I am vested by the organic law of said Territory, I do hereby order and direct, that until otherwise provided by law, in the Third Judicial District a District Court of the United States for said district shall be held at Prescott, in said district, commencing on the last Tuesday of September next, and to continue two weeks; and a second term of said court for said district shall be held at said Prescott, commencing on the last Tuesday of December next, and to continue two weeks.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Territory, at Prescott, this tenth day of August, A. D. 1864, and of the independence of the United States of America the eighty-ninth.

JOHN N. GOODWIN.

By the Governor:  
RICHARD C. MCCORMICK,  
Secretary of the Territory.

## A PROCLAMATION.

BY JOHN N. GOODWIN, GOVERNOR OF ARIZONA TERRITORY, ANNOUNCING THE ELECTION OF A DELEGATE TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

WHEREAS, In and by the organic law of said Territory, it is enacted—"That a Delegate to the House of Representatives of the United States, to serve during each Congress of the United States, may be elected by the voters qualified to elect members of the Legislative Assembly, who shall be entitled to the same rights and privileges as are exercised and enjoyed by the delegates from the several other Territories of the United States, to the said House of Representatives. The first election shall be held at such time and places, and be conducted in such manner, as the Governor shall appoint and direct; and at all subsequent elections, the times, places, and manner of holding the elections, shall be prescribed by law. The persons having the greatest number of votes shall be declared by the Governor to be duly elected, and a certificate thereof shall be given accordingly."

AND WHEREAS, By proclamation given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona, dated the twenty-sixth day of May, A. D. 1864, I did appoint and direct an election to be held for such Delegate, on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1864, and did direct the manner in which such election should be conducted; and the said election was held, at the time, at the places, and in the manner appointed and directed by said proclamation; and it appears by returns on file in the office of the Secretary of the Territory, that at said election Charles D. Poston received the greatest number of votes.

Now, in pursuance of the duty enjoined upon me as aforesaid, I hereby declare that Charles D. Poston is duly elected the Delegate for the Territory of Arizona to the House of Representatives of the thirty-eighth Congress of the United States.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Territory, at Prescott, this 20th day of August, A. D. 1864, and of the independence of the United States of America the eighty-ninth.

JOHN N. GOODWIN.

By the Governor:  
RICHARD C. MCCORMICK,  
Secretary of the Territory.

## A PROCLAMATION.

BY JOHN N. GOODWIN, GOVERNOR OF ARIZONA TERRITORY, ANNOUNCING THE RESULT OF THE ELECTION FOR MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, AND CONVENING THE SAME.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

WHEREAS, It is provided by the organic law of the Territory, "That the legislative power shall consist of a Council of nine members, and a house of Representatives of eighteen"—and "that the number of persons authorized to be elected having the highest number of votes in each of the council districts for members of the Council, shall be declared by the Governor to be elected to the Council, and the person or persons authorized to be elected having the greatest number of votes for the House of Representatives, equal to the number to which each county or district shall be entitled, shall be declared by the Governor to be duly elected members of the House of Representatives. And the persons thus elected to the Legislative Assembly shall meet at such place, and on such days as the Governor shall appoint."

AND WHEREAS, By the returns, as filed in the office of the Secretary of the Territory, at an election held in the several council and representative districts of the Territory of Arizona, by the qualified voters of said Territory, on the 18th day of July, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, for members of the Legislative Assembly, it appears that said election was held

at the times and places directed by a proclamation issued by me, dated the twenty-sixth day of May, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and in accordance with the provisions of the organic law; And Whereas, It further appears by the said returns, that in the First Council District, Coles Bashford, Francisco S. Leon, Mark Aldrich, and Patrick H. Dunn, received the highest number of votes for members of the Council, and Jno. G. Capron, W. Claude Jones, D. H. Stickney, G. P. Harte, H. D. Jackson, Jesus M. Elias, N. B. Appel, Norman S. Higgins, and Gilbert W. Hopkins, received the greatest number of votes for members of the House of Representatives. In the Second Council District G. W. Leiby and Jose M. Redonda received the highest number of votes for members of the Council, and Louis Bouchet, George M. Holaday, Thomas J. Bidwell, Edward D. Tuttle, and William Walters, received the greatest number of votes for members of the House of Representatives. In the Third Council District King S. Woolsey, Robert W. Groom, and Henry A. Bigelow, received the greatest number of votes for members of the Council, and John M. Boggs, Jackson McCrackin, James Garvin, and James S. Giles, received the greatest number of votes for members of the House of Representatives.

Now, in pursuance of the duty enjoined upon me as aforesaid, I hereby declare Coles Bashford, Francisco S. Leon, Mark Aldrich, and Patrick H. Dunn, from the First Council District, and Geo. W. Leiby, and Jose M. Redonda, from the Second Council District, and King S. Woolsey, Robert W. Groom, and Henry A. Bigelow, from the Third Council District, to be duly elected to the Council from the respective districts.

And I hereby declare John G. Capron, W. Claude Jones, D. H. Stickney, G. P. Harte, H. D. Jackson, Jesus M. Elias, N. B. Appel, Norman S. Higgins, and Gilbert W. Hopkins, from the First District, and Louis Bouchet, George M. Holaday, Thomas J. Bidwell, Edward D. Tuttle, and William Walters, from the Second District, and John M. Boggs, Jackson McCrackin, James Garvin, and James S. Giles, from the Third District, to be duly elected to the House of Representatives from their respective districts.

And said members of the Council and House of Representatives will meet in legislative assembly, on the 26th day of September, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, at noon, at the house provided for that purpose, in Prescott, in said Third District.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Territory, at Prescott, this 20th day of August, A. D. 1864, and of the independence of the United States of America the eighty-ninth.

JOHN N. GOODWIN.

By the Governor:  
RICHARD C. MCCORMICK,  
Secretary of the Territory.

## I. GOLDBERG,

Formerly of La Paz, now located in the Juniper House, Prescott,  
Has a fine assortment of Liquors of all kinds, which he offers for sale at wholesale or retail at fair prices. His liquors are warranted pure.

## Fine Ranch Property.

The undersigned offers for sale an undivided half of the ranch on the road from Weaver to Prescott, and within ten miles of the former place, known as People's ranch. Terms favorable. Apply to JAMES A. MOORE,  
On the Ranch, or to SAMUEL C. MILLER, Prescott, Arizona. 13

## Notice.

Know all men by these presents: That the undersigned have this day taken up and squatted on that tract of land situated at and near the old site of Fort Whipple, consisting of about five hundred acres.

POSTLE, BROWN & CO.  
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## La Paz Express and Saddle Train

Will make semi-monthly trips between Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and La Paz, A. T., will leave San Bernardino every other Thursday, and La Paz every other Wednesday, mornings. This is the shortest, quickest and best route to travel between Prescott, Walker and Weaver diggings, and the adjacent mines east of La Paz, also to Williams' Fork, Castle Dome, and other points along the Colorado river, north and south, between Fort Yuma and Fort Mohave.

Every exertion will be made by the subscriber to make his passengers comfortable, and the journey a pleasant one.

12 JAMES GRANT,  
La Paz, Sept. 4, 1864. Proprietor.

## L. Dukes & Co.'s Express

FROM

MOHAVE TO PRESCOTT, ARIZONA.

We will run a regular semi-monthly Express from Mohave, near Fort Mohave, to Prescott and Fort Whipple, Arizona, connecting with the Government Express from Fort Mohave.

Leaving Prescott and Fort Whipple on about the 1st and 16th of every month, and Mohave on or about the 10th and 25th of every month.

Rev. H. W. Read, P. M., Agent at Prescott.  
L. DUKES & CO., Proprietors.  
July 30th, 1864. 110